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SUBJECT: MEDIA REACTION: IRANIAN POST ELECTION DEVELOPMENTS; GLOBAL
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Title- Violence in Iran

Main editorial in liberal Folha de S.Paulo (6-22) says: "....The presidential run [in Iran] made explicit and intensified the polarization....between the emerging groups aligned to Ahmadinejad and the moderated piece of the traditional leadership...that converged as Mousavi's party The massive popular dissatisfaction in Iran is a new variable... [The country] has changed in the last 30 years....The antiquated Iranian autocracy seems in disaccord with the nation that is emerging. In this divorce, State violence rises as the last recourse - a recipe for tragedy."

Title- Domestic Front

Editorial in liberal Folha de S.Paulo (6-22) states: "The contrast with regards to global warming could not be larger [in comparison] with George W. Bush's negatives. The scientific report released by Barack Obama's White House brings the term 'unequivocal' in its first sentence about global warming..... The U.S. is moving; nonetheless, [but] only on the domestic front. The rest of the world is waiting for this change to translate into commitments to begin international negotiations on climate."
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